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Kevin J. Lee

DECISION ON

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PETITION

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For: Electroplating Cell Based Upon Rotational Plating

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This is a response to the request to rescind the Notice of Abandonment, mailed November 16, 2004. This request is treated as a PETITION TO WITHDRAW ABANDONMENT, under 37 C.F.R. 1.181 (no fee required). The petition requests that the abandonment, as set forth in the Notice of Abandonment of November 16, 2004, for failure to timely reply to the Board of Appeals decision of September 2, 2004, be withdrawn. The petitioner asserts that the response was timely filed on November 2, 2004.

DECISION

USPTO records show that an appropriate response to the Board of Appeals decision of September 2, 2004 was filed with the office on November 5, 2004, with a Certificate of Mailing date of November 2, 2004, thus making the response timely. The application will be forwarded to the examiner for processing and consideration of the papers filed November 5, 2004.

The Petition is **Granted**.



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